

WHEAT POOL TO SUE FARMERS

Following the cut-off on the 15th of July when the 1928-29 Pool was closed, the Alberta Wheat Pool is taking court action against Pool members who failed to deliver all the wheat they raised during the crop year. The Pool contract calls for the delivery of all wheat raised by each Pool member within the confines of the Province and the stipulated penalty for infractions is 25c a bushel. While the great bulk of the members are loyal, there are some who have apparently overlooked their legal obligations, and the organization is taking energetic action against the latter. It is realized by the Pool that court action is undesirable but at the same time it is not fair to the bulk of the membership for a comparatively small number to act disloyally and flout their contract.

Over 400 agents of Wheat Pool Elevators were assembled in Calgary last week at a four days' Convention, and every phase of the Pool Elevator business was fully discussed. H. W. Wood, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Alberta Wheat Pool in his opening remarks strongly recommended that the agents would best serve the Pool's interests by dealing with the members with the utmost fairness. He pointed out there was no incentive under the Pool system of elevator operation for any agent to deal unfairly with any member. The Pool Elevator system is not operated for profit, Mr. Wood declared, but solely on the basis of service to the membership.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF BATTLE RIVER No. 423

Notice
Take notice that under the Tax Recovery Act, 1929, the following lands will be offered for sale by Public Auction at the Municipal Office at Irma, Alberta, on Tuesday, September 10th, 1929, at 2 P.M.

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The above lands will be offered subject to a sealed reserve bid and the reservations contained in the existing certificate of title.

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Terms of the Sale will be 20 per cent cash and the balance in 3 equal instalments at 8 per cent interest per annum.

Dated at Irma, Alberta, this 20th day of July, 1929.

R. J. TATE, Sec.-Treas.

The Woman's Auxiliary will hold an afternoon tea with home cooking sale, also a sale of aprons at the home of Mrs. Pryce Jones on Saturday afternoon, September 7th. Any donations will be very gratefully received. The next meeting of the W. A. will be held at Mrs. George Knowles on August 27th at 2.30 p.m.

TOFIELD BUSINESS BLOCK BURNS

Tofield, Aug. 10.—With an estimate of a loss of between \$45,000 and \$50,000 the bulk of which is covered by insurance, seven stores in the heart of the business section of Tofield were destroyed by fire early Saturday morning, while the residential section of the town was only saved by the heroic efforts of the Tofield volunteer fire brigade, aided by fellowtownsmen, who turned out en masse to fight the flames.

As it is, the butcher shop of Chas. Helson, the boys' wear shop of H. E. Rogers, the Reliance store of Ernie Rogers, the jewelry shop of Wong Fong Kay, the grocery store of T. W. Taylor, and the auctioneers and implement warehouse of F. O. Ball, together with a Chinese café and other small stores are total losses.

The fire was first noticed shortly after 12.45 a.m. and had apparently started from spontaneous combustion in some straw in the ice house of the butcher shop.

With a slight wind blowing, and the flames threatening the residential section, the firemen devoted their attention to saving the Wilson residence back of Taylor's store. The fire was checked at this point and the residential district saved, as it is generally conceded that if the Wilson residence had caught, nothing could have saved the rest of the town.

Word of the fire was telephoned to Edmonton and a chemical truck from the Edmonton department made a fast run to Tofield, making the distance in a little over an hour. Their arrival saved the poles and wires of the telephone station and long distance system as these were already burning when they arrived, but were extinguished by the chemical apparatus from Edmonton.

FIRE DESTROYS HOLDEN GARAGE

Starting from some unknown cause fire destroyed the Holden Garage shortly after midnight on Sunday with an estimated loss of \$30,000. This loss was partially covered by insurance.

Only a heavy downpour of rain and the efficient work of the Holden fire department, prevented the blaze from developing into a conflagration such as those which recently destroyed the business section of Wainwright and Tofield.

The garage building was owned by Dr. F. J. Farrel of Holden, E. W. Lamont, who operated the repair shop in connection with the garage places his loss at \$6,000. The Holden Motors occupants of the garage, lost 12 new cars and 11 used ones.

The next meeting of Avondale U.F.W.A. will be held at 8 o'clock p.m. at the home of Mrs. Ballentine on Thursday, August 22nd. This meeting is taking up a study of the new proposed school act. It is becoming familiar with its contents and its merits and demerits.

CHURCH NOTICES AND ACTIVITIES

IRMA UNITED CHURCH
Albert School 11 A.M. Baptismal Service.
Ama Mater — 3 P.M.
Irma — 8 P.M.
Theme: Study of Hymn "O God Our Help in Ages Past."
J. R. Geeson.

The Anglican Sunday School will meet in the Masonic Hall each Sunday at 11 a.m. during the month of August. There will be no Church service until September 1st.

WAINWRIGHT LAWYER DEAD

H. V. Fieldhouse, prominent Wainwright barrister, died in an Edmonton hospital last Saturday. He was 51 years of age and leaves a wife and three daughters to mourn his loss. He was interested in several oil companies and was a firm believer in the future of the Wainwright oil field. He was a resident in Wainwright during the past twenty years and was held in high esteem in the community.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our most sincere and heartfelt thanks to all whose kind and loving help and sympathy has been so freely given to us in our deepest hour of sorrow, through the loss of our beloved husband, father, brother and uncle, Orville; and to especially thank the Masons, the Star, and all whose floral offerings spoke so silently but mean so much to us.

Mildred and Baby Chase,
Willard Chase & Murray McKillop

NOTICE
As I have purchased the Jarro Hotel from Jim K. Wong, all debts against the Jarro Hotel should be presented to me at once. I will not be responsible for any debts after August 31st.
Signed Life Him

POTATO BUGS HAVE MADE THEIR APPEARANCE

(From the Viking News)
Potato bugs have made themselves unwelcome visitors in the gardens in this community. On Saturday, Jas. Pickering brought in several live bugs in a glass jar that he had picked off the potato vines in his garden, and said that there were several more doing nicely and thriving in his potato patch. How they got into his patch he has no idea, as only local seed potatoes were planted. We note that at Forestburg and in the Peace River country potato bugs have also made an appearance. A determined effort should be made at once to exterminate these bugs, before they get a foothold in this province. Many of the early settlers here coming from eastern Canada and United States will remember how they had to gather handfuls of these bugs from the potato vines, and when after going over the patch once, they had to start all over again. The western farmers and gardeners have enough to contend with without having their potatoes go "bugs."

The Irma Public School will open for the term 1929-1930 Monday, August 26th, 1929. Will all parents who wish their children to start in the junior room please leave their names with the Chairman of the School Board or the Secretary-Treasurer.

Mrs. E. T. McDowell will have charge of the senior room and Miss E. C. Stewart, formerly of Vegreville will have charge of the Junior room.

NEWS ITEMS FROM KINSELLA

Mrs. Steele and son Clarke of Clark Manor spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson.
Miss Bowman of Vegreville spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. R. Eaton.

Mr. Ben Wachter of the B & B gang of the C. N. R. spent Sunday at his home here.
The Baby Clinic under the auspices of the W. I. will be held in Lee's Hall on August 23rd.

Mr. William Turnbull who has been in Edmonton for the past few months returned home last Wednesday.

Miss Ellen Neale returned home on Sunday from Vermilion where she has been for the past few weeks with her grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson, Mr. Frank Williams and Miss Margaret Scott attended the Chautauqua at Irma last Friday evening.

The Misses Marion and Jean Wemble who have spent the past few weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Murray returned to their home at Prince George last Tuesday.

Mr. Harry Burkholder of Radium Center spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Eaton, he returned home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams and family, Mr. and Mrs. McKee and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Scott and daughter spent Sunday afternoon at Birch Lake.

Quite a number from the W. I. here are planning on going to the W. I. Convention being held at Gahad on August 16th. Mrs. Charlie Turnbull is the delegate from the W. I. here.

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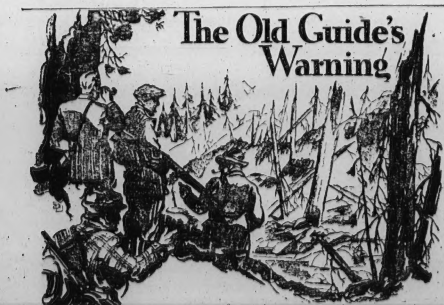
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Reform Of Electoral Methods

Recent elections in Great Britain, in Canada, and more recently still in the Province of Saskatchewan, all seem to point in the same direction, and that is to a change in the system or methods of choosing Parliamentary representatives. For many generations the underlying principle of the British system of responsible government has been ruled by the majority of the people as indicated by their selection of party representatives in the House of Commons or Legislative Assembly, as the case may be. And such representatives were chosen for the most part by constituencies represented by a single member. So long as the electorate were divided into only major parties or groups of political thought this system worked fairly well, although it was never wholly representative of public opinion.

Now, however, that the two-party system has been, or is being, replaced by three and sometimes four or more parties, the weaknesses of the old system have become apparent, and the old principle of majority by majority is rapidly becoming impossible of realization. On the contrary, at Westminster, at Ottawa, at Regina, each party represented in Parliament is a minority party, and in each instance the smallest of these minority groups holds the balance of power. In each of the legislative bodies referred to, the group having the largest representation in the House constitutes the government party, but at any moment, and on any question that may arise, the government may suffer defeat and be called upon to give place to another minority group.

With the exception of the United States where the two-party system continues in favor, partly, perhaps, because it is so interwoven into the whole fabric of government, national, state, municipal, even county and judicial. It appears to be giving way throughout the world. In Germany, France, Belgium, and other countries having responsible government, government is only possible by a coalition of parties, or a working understanding between them. Admittedly, it does not make for strong government or stability in government. France being a notable example.

The multiplication of political parties or groups has, in most European countries, brought about a change in electoral methods. In some, single member constituencies have been abolished, the single transferable ballot, or Proportional Representation adopted, or the second election system inaugurated. Even in the United States the primary system almost amounts to a second election. In a word, it is recognized that the single member constituency where a mere plurality of votes is sufficient to elect, regardless of the number of candidates in the field, no longer meets the needs of the situation.

And it is becoming increasingly evident that it will not for long prove acceptable to the people of Great Britain, or Canada, or in the Provinces of Canada. Opponents of Proportional Representation have always argued that it tends to a multiplication of parties or groups. But the fact now has to be faced that this multiplication has taken place under the existing system. The system itself, therefore, must be altered to meet the changed conditions.

Most politicians will not welcome any change, but they cannot prevent it. The important question is, What basis of representation and method of voting shall be adopted to best meet the needs of the new conditions that have arisen? Already the subject is engaging the attention of political students in Great Britain, and it is confidently predicted that the unwritten constitution of the Old Country will undergo some change. Occupying the commanding position he does in the present Parliament, and suffering the handicap of a much smaller representation in the House of Commons than the vote polled by his candidate in the country justly entitles him to, Lloyd George will not long remain content with things as they are. He can, and probably will, demand as one price of his continued support of the Ramsay MacDonald Labor Government a reform of electoral methods and machinery which will accord full value to every individual vote cast, and not place third or fourth party candidates at a distinct disadvantage.

Whether the solution is to be found in larger multiple-member constituencies replacing the present single-member seats, with the adoption of the single transferable ballot, or even Proportional Representation, or in a complete change in the accepted form of cabinet responsibility, involving a fixed term for Parliaments and Legislatures, denial to a government of the right of dissolution except upon a straight vote of want of confidence, and the formation of a cabinet consisting of representatives of all groups, and based upon their respective numerical strength in the House, time alone will disclose.

One thing, however, may be accepted as sound, and that is that the genius of British statesmanship which in the past evolved the best form of democratic government the world has yet known will be capable of meeting the new situation and solving the problems which it presents.

Plane In Freak Accident

Strikes Steam Roller In Making Landing At Roosevelt Field

When an aeroplane and a steam roller collided at Roosevelt Field, N.Y., the accident ruined the plane and injured the operator of the roller.

James Riddle, piloting a small

monoplane in which two friends were riding as passengers, chose for his landing a part of the field which is being levelled off and on which two steam rollers were at work, hidden from the air by the cloud of dust they raised.

The descending plane took off the smoke stack of one of the rollers and bowled the operator, A. C. Madberal, from his seat, breaking his shoulder. The plane crashed, tearing off the left wing, and otherwise damaging it beyond repair, but Riddle and his passengers escaped without injury.

Plant Grows Leaves

After Having "Sleep"

Replaces Withered Foliage In Fifteen Or Twenty Minutes.

After "sleep" of from 15 to 20 minutes, a plant, recently developed in Germany, produces new leaves. So sensitive is it that if the leaves are touched, or a match burned near them, they immediately wither and fall off. In about a quarter of an hour after the withered leaves have dropped off, new ones grow out. The plant is a member of the mimosa family. It grows in great quantities in India, where it is gathered and sold for commercial purposes. The bruised leaves are said to have a high medicinal value in healing burns.

U.S. To Reduce Military Expenses

President Hoover Says Military Budget Now Greater Than Any Other Country

President Hoover intends to establish a commission of army officers within the general staff to see what can be done toward reducing military expenditures.

The commission, the president said recently, would be charged with making an enquiry to determine what has been made obsolete by scientific advancements and could be done away with, and what army programmes can be spread over longer period than originally intended and at the same time maintain complete and adequate preparedness.

The president said the purely military expenses of the United States constitute a military budget greater than that of any other nation and at a time when he considers there is less danger of war than at any period within the last fifty years.

It is now estimated, he said, that the military outlay for 1923 will be \$803,000,000, which is \$120,000,000 more than the similar expenditure for the fiscal year just closed, and compares with an average pre-war expenditure for military activities of the army and navy of \$266,000,000 annually.

NEW HEALTH FOR TIRED-OUT WOMEN

Found In The Rich, Red Blood Dr. Williams' Pink Pills

Anemia comes on gradually, beginning with languor, irritability to mental or bodily exertion, irritability and a feeling of fatigue. Later comes the palpitating of the heart, headaches, frequent backaches and inability to obtain rest at night. Cases of this kind, if neglected, become more serious, but if taken in time there is no need to worry. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which are free from any harmful or habit-forming drug, are just the tonic needed to remedy this wretched state of health. These pills actually make the rich, red blood that stimulates and strengthens every organ and nerve in the body. This strength and activity return, the appetite improves and restful sleep is had. What Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can do will be shown by the case of Mrs. D. B. Fanning, Seal Harbor, N.S., who says: "I was in a badly run-down condition. I was pale, my appetite was very poor, and the least exertion would leave me completely tired out. In fact I was hardly able to do much work about the house. I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills after taking a few boxes can truthfully say I had gained greatly in health and strength and was able to go about my work with no sign of the former weakness. I cheerfully recommend them to all others who may be in a run-down condition. You can get the pills from your druggist, or by mail at 50 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont."

Cyclists Honor War Dead

Nearly 10,000 cyclists, many of whom had ridden all night from the extremes of England and Wales, gathered on a recent Sunday morning before the National Cyclists' Memorial, at Meriden, believed to be the exact centre of England. About 3,000 of the cyclists were girls, and most of them were cycling breeches. A brief service was held at the memorial, which was erected seven years ago to commemorate cyclists killed in the World War.

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Canada's Iron-Making Centres

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Minard's Liniment for Neuralgia.

Dr. Malcolm Sargent, the famous English orchestra conductor, has just refused \$35,000 as musical director of a London motion picture theatre which would require only three ten-minute appearances a day.

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Alberta Premier Tours North

Party Will Go To Extreme Northern Part of Province

Hon. J. E. Brownlee, premier of Alberta, and Dr. R. C. Wallace, president of the University of Alberta, have left Edmonton for the Northern Alberta Railway for the Peace River country on a four weeks' tour of the north in which they will use railway, power boat, auto, and aeroplane.

Their itinerary will take them as far as Fort Fitzgerald on the north edge of the province, then into the Northwest Territories to Great Slave Lake and as far east as Lake Athabasca on the northeastern corner of Alberta.

They were accompanied by John M. Inrie, managing director of the Edmonton Journal, who joined the party on Premier Brownlee's invitation. This will be the first time in the history of the province of Alberta that the head of Alberta's government and the head of Alberta's University will travel to the extreme northern boundary of the province.

The itinerary also includes a four days' speaking tour of the Peace River country by the premier, a visit to the Wood Buffalo Park and inspection of mineral development in Great Slave Lake and around Lake Athabasca.

Inspector Hancock of the Alberta Provincial Police is in charge of all arrangements.

Many Claimants For Czar's Fortune

Three Cornered Legal Fight For Millions Left By Assassinated Ruler

The personal fortune of the late Czar Nicholas II, of Russia, reported to be approximately \$100,000,000, has become the object of a three-cornered legal fight which is expected to be tied up in the courts for years.

The Soviet Government is the last party to lay claim to the fortune, much of which is supposed to be on deposit in the United States. Another claim has been entered by a woman, now in the United States, who says she is Princess Anastasia, youngest daughter of the Czar and the only member of the family to escape assassination in the revolution. She is known as Mme. Tschakowsky. Recognized relatives of the late Czar, who claim Mme. Tschakowsky is an impostor, also are fighting for a share of the money.

Keeps a Mouse Farm

Have you ever heard of a mouse farm? There is one at Rayleigh, in Essex, where mice are reared just as cattle and sheep are on ordinary farms. There are 50,000 mice, and of nearly every color. Yet, although there are so many, Mr. Tuck, the farmer, can put his hands on any one of them at a moment's notice. About three hundred young ones are born every day, and it takes five hours to feed them all. They are sold to colleges and hospitals for experiments.

Garage For Women Autoists

A garage for the sole use of women autoists has just been adopted by women in London. A club devoted to feminine needs is a feature. Here fair motorists have writing rooms and dressing and change rooms, with bathrooms adjoining. Women auto enthusiasts recently dedicated the place with solemn ceremony.

Minard's Liniment for Summer Colds.

Reduced Crop Likely To Halt Immigration

Some Of Departmental Money May Be Used To Assist Farmers

The crop situation in Western Canada will have a salutary effect on immigration, it is believed in the capital. The foresightfulness of Hon. Robert Forke in limiting continental immigration and shutting it off on May 31, is considered as having prevented a more serious situation in the west and relieved to some extent the inevitable burden of unemployment which follows a poor crop year. Mr. Forke has been in Western Canada with W. J. Egan, his deputy, and it would not cause surprise at Ottawa to find that still further restrictions will be placed on continental immigration, and that even British immigration may be pared down.

At present any Britisher can come to Canada at the low rate of \$50. The nominal rate is \$50, the balance being made up by the British and Canadian governments. With poor crops in the west and less employment, the Government will guard against an undue influx which may swell the unemployed. Farmers cannot carry hired hands through the winter when the crop has been poor and the climate will have enough unemployed with those already here.

There is even a suggestion that some of the immigration expenditure may be diverted to assist the farmers, should conditions develop along the down road at present. The land settlement board, formerly the soldier settlement board, may be called upon to keep track of the farmers in the various stricken districts and render such aid as may be possible.

Prince Receives Prize Winner

Successful Marksman at Bisley Also Had Messages of Congratulation

The Prince of Wales received Lieut.-Col. R. M. Blair, commanding officer of the Seaforth Highlanders, Vancouver, B.C., at St. James' Palace and congratulated him on his success in winning the King's Prize at the recent meet of the National Rifle Association at Bisley. In addition to a host of messages from Canada, Lieut.-Col. Blair is especially gratified by the receipt of congratulations from every battalion of the Seaforth Highlanders in the British army, he said. An old lady, a perfect stranger to Lieut.-Col. Blair, has written to the King's Prize man from Guernsey, one of the Channel Islands, expressing the hope that he is a teetotaler.

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Tourist Traffic Heavy

Tourist traffic in the west will break all records this year, judging from present indications. In the view of H. F. Matthews, of Winnipeg, general manager of western hotels, Canadian Pacific Railway. The mountain resorts are booked almost solidly for the season, he said, especially the hotels at Banff and Lake Louise.

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Laudable Movement Has For Its Object the Interpretation Of British and Canadian Music

Fashion has its place in music as well as other things, and fashion has had much to do with the neglect of British music. Until the beginning of the seventeenth century, English music was celebrated throughout Europe. John Dunstable was the greatest composer of the fifteenth century, while in Elizabeth's day John Dowland and John Bull were musicians coveted by foreign courts. Then came a time of Italian music, followed by another tide from France. The titanic genius of Handel favoured by Hanoverian kings made England musically a German province for at least a hundred years, and as Germany and Austria produced a marvelous succession of composers, it was difficult, indeed, for the British musician to raise his head. Then came a deluge of Slav music with a recrudescence of French influence to swamp any British renaissance.

With the twentieth century, however, the situation has changed. The English madrigal, lutenist and church music of the Elizabethan period was unearthed and made known through the enterprise of scholars such as Dr. E. H. Fellowes. The immensely rich field of British folk music was at the same time coming to be realized, and in this field the British musician found an inspiration which has resulted in compositions of new vitality and distinction. Marjory Kennedy Fraser, for instance, in her arrangements of the "Songs of the Hebrides," has done the work of intense appeal, while her compositions based on English folk songs the name of R. Vaughan Williams is internationally known. Indeed, the firmament of modern music is dotted with British stars, whose names perhaps have sometimes a Continental ring, but whose birth record is unimpeachably British—such names as Elgar, Stanford, Patti, Delius, Holst, Cyril Scott, Arnold Bax and Dame Ethel Smyth. Music in order to live must be performed, and therein lies one of the handicaps of the British composer. So many players and singers have been schooled on purely Continental European classics that concert and operatic audiences do not get much opportunity of hearing anything else. New York is the mecca of the European concert and operatic artist, and Canada gets its quota of New York artists on tour. This gives us a great deal of good music, but mostly music of Continental Europe, the percentage of British music being almost negligible.

It is, therefore, in the national interest that Canadians should have more opportunity of hearing the music which is their legitimate heritage, and with that end in view the music department of the Canadian Pacific Railway has organized a series of concert tours with artists of distinction who will interpret British and Canadian music to Canadian audiences. For practical considerations, Canadian Pacific hotels in six large cities have been chosen for this series.

The scheme has the warm approval of leaders in the Canadian musical world, such as Dr. Ernest MacMillan, Principal of the Toronto Conservatory of Music.

Canada has so recently emerged into nationhood that any large output of distinctively Canadian music could hardly be expected. There is, however, a rich store of folk songs, particularly in the Province of Quebec, retained by tradition from the early settlers of New France and so adapted to Canadian life as works songs that they have assumed a colour and quality of their own. There are, too, a number of young Canadian composers whose work is obtaining recognition by international publishers. Among the inter-

preters of music, Canadian singers and players are to be found among the foremost in London, Eng., Paris and New York, while the Canadian ensemble known as the Hart House Quartette, is second to none. The first recital of the series will be given by Marjory Kennedy Fraser, the gifted woman who sings in beautiful fashion the lovely songs of the Hebrides, which she has given to a musical world. She will be accompanied by her sister, Margaret Kennedy, a well-known teacher, who was given the honorary degree of A.R.A.M. for her services as lecturer on harmony at the Royal Academy.

The second concert is that of Stanley Maxstead, brilliant tenor of Montreal, and Mary James, soprano of the Banff Scottish Festivals. The third group is composed of Florence Hood, an English violinist, now living in Montreal, and Jean Rowe, lyric soprano of Toronto. Rudolphe Plamondon, French-Canadian tenor and his son Lucien, cellist, will be another pair, the Hart House quartette the fifth, and John Goss, an English baritone, will complete the series.

Marjory Kennedy Fraser and her sister will start their tour at the Empress Hotel at Victoria, September 12, after the Banff Scottish Festival at which she will be one of the principal artists. Her other concerts in the trans-Canada tour will be given at Vancouver, Sept. 16; Calgary, the Hotel Palliser, Sept. 21; Regina, the Hotel Saskatchewan, Sept. 23; Winnipeg, the Royal Alexandra, Sept. 26, and the Royal York at Toronto, Sept. 30.

Value Of Sleep

Possible To Live Longer Without Food Than Without Sleep

Science has evolved drugs that will put one to sleep, but just what it is that brings natural sleep is as great a mystery today as it was to the cave-man who curled up on his rock mattress with his flowing beard spread over him for a quilt. It is a commentary on human nature that we are more particular about our food than we are about regular hours of sleep, yet it is a fact, definitely established, that it is possible to live much longer without food than without the benign embrace of Morpheus. —Hamilton Spectator.

London's Tube stations now have eighty-three escalators.

It is estimated that 5 per cent. of men are color blind.

Canada's Fruit and Flower Production

Value During Year Ending May, 1928, Was Well Over Two Million

According to the official figures collected by the Fruit Branch of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, the total value of the commercial food products of Canada for the last calendar year, amounted to \$19,824,332, comparing favourably with the 1927 total of \$17,605,985.

The respective figures for the five provinces listed were reported as follows: Nova Scotia, \$3,228,050 and \$2,875,965; New Brunswick, \$190,600 and \$261,300; Quebec, \$848,400 and \$729,325; Ontario, \$7,620,121 and \$6,619,930; British Columbia, \$7,937,102 and \$7,116,675. Although British Columbia is usually regarded as the banner fruit province of the Dominion, the report shows that only slightly over \$300,000 separated the Pacific Coast province from the Great Lakes province, a striking testimony to the general agricultural wealth of Ontario.

Taking commercial apples alone, the total production for the Dominion is finally estimated at \$3,225,970 barrels, valued at \$11,290,867, comparing with 2,610,600 barrels, valued at \$10,411,035, the finally revised 1927 estimate. The average value per barrel was \$3.49 in 1928, and \$3.70 in 1927. Total nursery fruit stock sales for the year ending May 31, 1928, are valued at \$351,737, against \$317,661 for the corresponding year 1926-27.

The total value of the horticultural and decorative plant production of Canada during the year ending May 31, 1928, as represented by these statistics is given as \$2,680,150, comprising \$491,965 for outdoor roses, \$54,462 for other outdoor trees, etc., \$342,585 for specific indoor plants, \$19,523 for other indoor plants, \$73,415 for flowering bulbs, and \$1,093,180 for cut flowers. Clearly, therefore, the cut flower industry exceeds all the other categories together, both in volume and value. The value of the cut flowers sold represented, in fact, 63 per cent. of the total.

Alberta Pool Interim Payment

One dollar a bushel will be the interim payment on wheat for grain delivered to the 1928-29 crop, according to an announcement made at the Alberta Wheat Pool offices in Calgary. Last fall when a bad slump in wheat prices occurred the initial payment was lowered from \$1 to 85 cents, but the previous interim payment will be issued this fall.

New York City now has more than a million school children.

A word to the wise should be superfluous.

CONSIDERED JAIL THE BETTER PLACE



Leonard French, 68, who ran away from the poorhouse, after his first night there, to the Toronto jail, where he asked to be committed because he considered the jail the better place.

Plenty Of Employment

New, High Rate Of Activity Is Shown Throughout Canada

Employment in Canada has reached a new high rate of activity for all time. During the month of June alone, 25,109 workers were added, bringing the total on July 1, to 1,069,700. Figures were compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from 6,819 firms.

Every month this year has shown larger figures than last year.

Since April the trend of employment has taken a sharp upward turn. On July 1, all previous records had been broken and the movement continues upward.

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Western Coal Operators Are Interested In Railway Board Hearing On Freight Rates

Western coal operators, according to their head, W. W. McBain, are whole-heartedly behind the joint action of the provinces of Alberta and Ontario in requesting a further Railway Board hearing on the subject of freight rates.

Formal application for this hearing has just been made by J. Earl Lawson, of Toronto, counsel for the two provinces.

"Considerable quantities of domestic fuel were shipped to Ontario during 1928," Mr. McBain says in explaining the situation. "Under the Order-in-Council providing a temporary freight rate of \$6.75 per ton, the Federal Government undertook to secure the railways against loss in hauling the coal and the Order-in-Council authorized the Board of Railway Commissioners to name what amount, if any, was due to the railways after the conclusion of each seasonal movement, of which the 1928 one was the first.

"Now, as we understand it, the railways are applying to the Board for definite payment per ton on the coal hauled last year. As the coal operators view the matter, the chief reason for carrying on these experiments in coal transportation is in order to ascertain over a period of years, exactly what it does cost to bring coal into Ontario from the west. The Order-in-Council, as we read it, states this in the plainest terms.

"The statements which have been submitted to the Board," Mr. McBain continued, "apparently take a different view of the matter and disregard the actual or out-of-pocket cost of hauling the fuel. Ontario and Alberta have made a submission to the Board, to this effect, asking for a hearing on the question and requesting that the two roads furnish the Commissioners with this further information."

Mr. McBain pointed out that the stand taken, both before the Senate Committee in 1923, and the Committee of Mines and Minerals of the House of Commons, was that a distinctively Canadian fuel policy, which would tend to provide for the needs of Canadian consumers from the output of Canadian mines, would be very much in the national interest. Alberta has sufficient coal resources to provide for the Dominion's needs for eighteen centuries. Ontario pays into the pockets of American operators and railroads approximately thirty millions annually as a result of her purchases of anthracite in this foreign market. It would be greatly in

the national interest to keep this money in Canada, and the problem of doing so boils down to one of transportation.

"It has been taken for granted," Mr. McBain stated, "that the great economic importance of a national fuel policy put the matter on a different plane from any ordinary discussion of haulage costs, and that some scheme might properly be worked out under which fixed charges, which the railways must meet in any case, and which go on just the same whether the fuel is hauled, or whether it is not, would not be assessed against the coal movement, particularly so, since the coal would be carried during the off-peak grain season, and in cars which would otherwise be lying idle on the sidings.

"Naturally, any such rate must also be fair to the railways," Mr. McBain said, "but the first necessity preliminary to the consideration of a permanent arrangement is definite knowledge of what it does actually cost the two great transcontinental roads to bring the coal east. That is what the two provinces are asking the Board of Railway Commissioners at Ottawa to find out and an investigation, with that end in view, was requested by the Order-in-Council of last year.

"When Mr. E. P. Mallory, the expert of the National Lines, appeared before the Senate Committee in 1923," Mr. McBain declared, "he gave \$8.01 per ton as the out-of-pocket cost and, subsequently, a telegram to the Committee from Sir Henry Thornton, made the offer to carry the coal at \$9 per ton. At that time, operating costs were higher than they are today, as the reports of the railways show, so that it is logical to suppose that the cost now is less than it was at the time the suggestion of a \$9 rate was made.

"In September 1927, two reports on the out-of-pocket cost were made by the Board of Railway Commissioners following an official inquiry into costs. The majority report found the out-of-pocket cost of coal transportation to be \$7.22 per ton, while the minority report gave a figure of \$6.50 per ton. The operating costs on which these calculations were based were also higher than those of the present time.

"But we are informed," Mr. McBain concluded, "that on the basis of the 1928 coal movement, one statement gives \$15.03 per ton as the amount claimed or, in other words, the difference between \$6.75 and \$15.03 as the sum per ton which the government should pay.

"This is not only much higher than either the \$7.22 or \$6.50 Railway Board out-of-pocket figures and well above the \$9 offer of 1923; but it is even \$3 per ton higher than the average rate for all commodities for the distance which the coal was moved."

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TO TOUR CANADA



The British artists who will tour Canada during the coming fall and winter under the auspices of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The object of this series is to show Canadians the vast amount of splendid British music available and familiar in the Old Land. (1) Florence Hood, violinist

of Montreal; (2) Marjory Fraser, famous collector and interpreter of Hebridean music; (3) Mary Frances James, young dramatic soprano; (4) Stanley Maxstead, English tenor, now resident in Montreal; (5) John Goss, bass, English exponent of Chanteys and modern English songs; (6) Rudolphe Plamondon, well-known French Canadian tenor.



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SEMI-READY FALL SAMPLES HAVE ARRIVED



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Mid-Winter Golf Tourney at Victoria, B.C.



These photographs were taken on the beautiful Colwood Golf Course, Victoria, B.C., where the first Empress Hotel mid-winter golf tournament for the E. W. Beatty challenge trophy, will be held during the week of February 18. These pictures, taken on the 21st of January, give some idea of the summery aspect of Victoria's mid-winter weather. The hard-wood foliage is shed in the fall as elsewhere, but there is a wealth of evergreen at Victoria to make the fairways attractive and at no time during the winter is there sufficient moisture to spoil a round or to ruin the greens if played over.

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The contest was held under the sanction of the American Automobile Association and only stock cars were permitted to enter. The records established are a demonstration of comparative economical performance as each car used Blu-Green Gasoline and Monogram motor oil, observed the same rules, ran under the same weather conditions and could take advantage of no accessories other than those which were on the car as part of factory equipment. Mr. George Stephenson and Joe Nikrant, representatives of the 'A. A. A.', handled the weighing in, filling and checking and the figures become official records of the Association.

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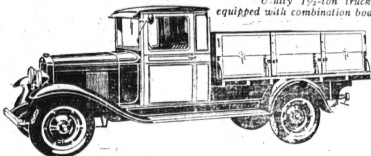
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VIKING

For some time past the need for more accommodation at the local municipal hospital has been apparent. The hospital as built in 1923 is now too small to take proper care of the patients that require attention, quite a few have had to be turned away on account of lack of room, and the time for some convalescents has had to be curtailed in order to let more serious cases in.

The public will not be slow to realize that this is not a satisfactory situation in regard to hospital accommodation and requirements, and something has to be done to relieve the situation.

With this in mind the hospital board held a meeting last week to consider the problem from every angle. Mr. Milne, provincial superintendent of organization was present, and the matter of increased accommodation was discussed. The board after due deliberation came to the conclusion that an addition will have to be built in the near future, large enough for ten or twelve beds.

The matter will be put up to the ratepayers of the hospital district some time this fall, and if the vote is favorable, the new wing may be built early next spring.

It is expected that debentures can be issued in such a way that the hospital taxes will be raised very little, if any.

That the board is acting wisely in this important matter is no doubt the consensus of opinion of those who have the health of the residents of the hospital district at heart.

The happiest man in town on Saturday was E. B. Hummel who received word from Sgt. Stewart of the A. P.P. that a car answering the description of the one stolen from his garage a week earlier had been found in the brush near the Wainwright tourist park.

Mr. Hummel accompanied by Const. Miller boarded the noon train here and were soon in possession of the car. It was found by boys camping in the park. It was first seen there the morning after it was taken from the garage but no one paid any attention to it, as there were many cars parked in the tourist camp, but as the days went by and no one came near the car, the boys became curious and reported the matter to the police, who soon identified it as the car reported stolen from Viking. The car had not been damaged in anyway, and the only article missing was the spare tire cover. Mr. Hummel is fortunate in finding his car in such good shape and so close to home. The person or persons who helped themselves to the car are as yet unknown.

Cutting of this year's crop in this district will commence in earnest this week. The average yield will be from 10 to 12 bushels per acre, while in some cases the crop is negligible and others reporting a very good stand. We don't see many new binders or threshing rigs being set up this year, the old ones will have to do their stuff another season.

As fine a sample of what as we have seen this season, was brought in to this office last week by A. W. Bowes who farms twelve miles north of town. The straw measured four feet in length and the berries were in excellent condition and were filling well. Mr. Bowes has a considerable acreage of this wheat which should yield at least thirty bushels per acre. We are told that there are several similar fields in the district north of town.

The summer chautauqua programs were concluded here last Thursday evening and the big brown tent was crowded for the final performance of "Smilin' Thru," an emotional drama that has had a wonderful reception everywhere.

A sufficient number of signers were secured to guarantee a four day chautauqua festival here sometime in the fall of 1930.

Messrs. H.E. Gares, W. E. McDonald N. C. Graham, P. E. Finch and G. W. Green enjoyed a fishing trip to Cold Lake over the week-end. They came back with a fine string of fish which they swear they caught themselves. Percy showed us one he caught that weighed 18 pounds, but the one that Noble had almost out of the water was that long. They say Cold Lake is an ideal place for an outing.

A very enjoyable time was had at the R. F. Kealey farm home Tuesday evening when a garden party was held under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary of the Anglican church. A delightful program of music, recitations, talks, games, etc., was given, and a fine lunch served to all. The arrangements were excellent, and the grounds were well suited for such an occasion.

That part of Main street between third and fourth avenues which has always been an eyesore and mud hole every spring, has been graded and filled in so that it now is one of the finest stretches of road in the town. The council is planning to grade and gravel Main street next year and make it one of the finest main streets in the province.

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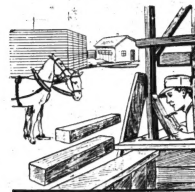
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BRIEFLY TOLD

Lady Jane Merton, mother of Lady Riving, died at Brighton, England, very suddenly at the age of 83 years. She was the widow of Sir Richard Merton, son of the Earl of Dunelm who died in March, 1927.

William Johnson, a powder monkey when the last shots were fired in the Crimean War, and a witness of the last hanging for naval mutiny, died recently at Weymouth, England, aged 85.

The British Admiralty has announced promotion of Admiral Sir Edmund Ross to be Admiral of the Fleet, to fill the vacancy caused by transfer of Admiral Sir Charles Madden to the supplementary list.

Conceded among the ship's paint supplies, which are stored in the forepeak, 105 tons of opium valued at \$10,800 were seized by customs examiners on board the "Empress of Asia," of the Vancouver-Orient service. No arrests were made.

A sale of 92 imported cattle by H. H. Bull and Son, at their farm near Frampton, Ont., brought total receipts of \$89,224. It is said the sale was the largest of Jersey cattle ever held in Canada and the average price of \$1,293 has never been equaled on the continent since 1920.

Official charges have indicated that the government was considering the possibility of voluntary curtailment of naval building as a gesture supporting building suspensions announced by Premier Ramsay MacDonald, of Great Britain, and President Hoover of the United States.

Seth B. Nicholson, observer at the Mount Wilson observatory, said a gigantic spot has been discovered near the equator of the sun. The spot, described as having eighty times the magnetic intensity of ordinary sun spots, Dr. Nicholson said, was powerful enough to cause serious magnetic storms on the earth.

A Master Scientist

Dean Boyle, Of Alberta University, Accepts Post On Research Council

It may be assumed that when the National Research Council of Canada is able to attract to its staff scientists of the calibre of Dr. R. W. Boyle, M.A., Ph.D., dean of the faculties of physics and applied science at the University of Alberta, who has accepted the post of director of the physics and engineering division of the Council, it will, before long, be able to give a very good account of itself.

Dean Boyle, although only some 45 years of age, is already one of Canada's foremost scientists, ranking not far behind Professor J. C. McLenan, of the University of Toronto. During the war he showed that he was no mere theorist, in his chosen work, for he rendered important service to the British Admiralty in perfecting a device for the detection of submarines. His scientific and creative mind has also been responsible for devices for the detection of icebergs. He appears one of Canada's master scientists and it is fortunate that his services are now to be made available for Canada as a whole. The University of Alberta has now given two of its staff to the National Research Council. Dr. H. M. Tury, chairman of the council, is a former president of that institution.

Honey Extraction Plant

The latest machinery is being installed in the new extension to the plant of the Hiedel Honey Company, at Taber, Alberta, and prospects appear to be first class. The new addition will be for honey extraction and a daily output of about 5,000 pounds is expected during the active season.

Sheep Shearing in Alberta

Sheep shearing in the Picture Butte District, Alberta, is now about finished. Last year there were only five flocks in the district; this year there are 23, mostly ranging in size from 25 to 150 ewes.



She: "I read those verses you sent me to read."
He: "What did he say?"
She: "That he was glad I was not going to marry a poet."—Buen Humor, Madrid.

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Want Night Air Service

Demand From Hamburg, Germany, To Be Included in Present Plans

Hamburg, Germany, is demanding that it be included in the present plans for night flying services that are to cover all Europe. The promoters of the service admit that the favorable position of the city with its day services does not necessarily give it a place in nocturnal flights. While Hamburg authorities admit this they contend that the great importance of their city as a commercial center demands that it should be included. They point out that Hamburg is the junction for air service from Scandinavian countries, and it should at least have night-service connection with Berlin and Rhine via Bremen to enable passengers arriving late in the day to continue their journey.

Church Collections Suffer

Using Big Nickels Instead of Quarters in Offerings at Ottawa

Governments have been blamed for troubles a plenty, but Canada's law-makers are cited as the cause of a new ill. Decrease in church collections is the latest trouble laid at the door of the Dominion Government, and an Ottawa churchman has made the charge.

With the advent of the "big nickel," church collections have fallen off, a preacher stated today at a regular Sunday service. "The large, new-cent pieces," he said, "are dropped into the collection plate with a flourish that belongs to nothing less than a quarter. I don't blame the smaller collection on the people. I blame the Government."



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This is the Beatty Trophy, presented by the chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, for inter-regimental competition among pipers of Canadian Highland Regiments, to be played for at the Highland Gathering and Scottish Music Festival scheduled to be held at Banff August 30 to September 2. The gathering brings together pipers from one end of Canada to the other, from Nova Scotia to British Columbia, and is the great event of the year in Scottish-Canadian circles.

Riches Of Northland

Vast Treasure House of Precious Minerals in Northern Canada

Last week Mr. W. C. Cain, Deputy Minister of Lands and Forests of Ontario, who has been studying northern Ontario all his life and is an enthusiast for that country, stated that in his recent trip to the far north he was given "a picture of northern possibilities that was beyond his previous ideas on the subject. Some time ago 'The Financial Post' told of the existence of a vast bed of amber underneath a lake in Northern Manitoba. Already as a result of the publication of this article, which incidentally drew comments in British and American as well as Canadian papers, private parties have set on foot plans for the complete exploration of this deposit. Last week another article in this paper told of various indications of precious stones in the north and even suggested the possibility of diamonds being found.

Gold and silver are now commonplace in our northern picture and platinum is becoming almost familiar to our mining men. Iron ore in vast quantities exists in Ungava and on the islands of Hudson Bay and aluminum can be extracted from northern clays. Copper deposits are known to exist in Northern Saskatchewan and run into the Arctic Circle and air voyagers have skinned down upon the surface of lakes in the far north to find nickel and other base metals.

The north is an amazing country in future wealth. Canada can no longer be regarded as a narrow belt 3,600 miles long. It is a vast country approximately 3,000 miles square with as much promise in the far north as in the east and the west—Alouise Jaw Times.

A New Safety Device

Polish Filers Make Test Of Life-Saving Overalls

"Life saving overalls," designed for trans-Atlantic flights, were given successful tests in Lake Maggiore today, by two Polish fliers who hope to fly from Milan to Chicago in mid-August.

The overalls are of an especially heavy rubberized fabric, equipped with valves by which they may be inflated. They will keep their wearers afloat for many days, their inventor asserts.

An added novel feature of the garment is the equipment of electric batteries and light bulbs which will remain illuminated at least 60 hours. De Fatori says.

Tinted Glass Aids Plants

Seeds grow better under greenish-yellow glass than when under plain panes. So declare workers in a greenhouse in Germany that have been experimenting with the tinted glass. Seeds planted under the colored panes were five times as productive as those under the plain glass, and also remained green longer.

In Mammoth Cave, Kentucky, there are fish and crayfish that have no eyes.

The cow is worshipped as a sacred animal in India.

Ask Daylight Saving Act For Dominion Of Stratford, Ontario

Move Being Made By City Council

In reply to a resolution from the city council of Stratford, Ont., in which the local council was requested to petition the Dominion Government to pass legislation by which summer time will be made effective throughout Canada, special council instructed the city clerk, George Thorpe, to obtain information as to whether Stratford council is asking for daylight saving time for the summer months only or all the year round.

In the communication received, it was pointed out by the Stratford council that the Dominion Government had already been approached, and petitioned by the former body. The Regina aldermen are in favor of Dominion-wide daylight saving time being established for the summer months, but are opposed to it being effective all the year round.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

PARSNIP SOUFFLE

Cook four medium-size parsnips in boiling water. When tender, remove the skins and rub through a colander. Mix together one teaspoon salt, one-eighth teaspoon pepper, one teaspoon sugar. Add the seasonings and one tablespoon of butter to the parsnips. Melt two tablespoons of butter in a saucepan, stirring in two tablespoons of flour and one cup of milk. Be sure the mixture is thick and smooth. Add to the parsnips, together with the yolks of two well-beaten eggs. Beat the whites of the eggs until stiff and fold into the mixture. Put in a buttered baking dish and bake for 25 minutes in a moderate oven. Serve immediately, or the souffle will fall.

PINEAPPLE PUNCH

1 quart water.
2 cups sugar.
2 cups chopped pineapple.
1 cup orange juice.
1 cup lemon juice.
Boil water, sugar and pineapple 20 minutes. Add fruit juices, cold, strain and dilute with ice water if necessary. Either fresh or canned pineapple may be used.

Saskatchewan Farm Loans

Since the Farm Loans board was inaugurated in 1917, more than 4,500 farmers throughout the province of Saskatchewan had received assistance by way of loans from the board to December 31, 1928, according to the department of the treasury of that province. From the inception of the scheme to that date a total of \$13,000,000 had been loaned to farmers.

Since 1918 1,250,000 houses have been built in England, providing homes for five or six million people.

Drought Conditions In Argentine

Dry Weather Causing Anxious Times For Farmers

Canadian farmers are not the only ones who are experiencing anxious times in connection with the prolonged spell of dry weather, according to reports received by the department of Trade and Commerce. Canada's chief competitor in the world wheat markets, Argentina, has also been experiencing a prolonged drought and much anxiety is felt by the grain and cattle traders. Not only is pasturage in that country threatened, but the work of plowing and sowing for next year's major crops is held back by the hard state of the soil. In addition, wheat prices are below normally remunerative prices to the farmers.

In the United Kingdom the ministry of agriculture reported on July 1 that continued weather conditions were adversely affecting the cereal and root crops. Wheat, barley and oats were estimated to be five per cent. below the average, and beans, twelve per cent. below average. Potatoes were backward, and unless copious rains were received, will be under average. What is known in Great Britain as "corn crops" appeared to be fairly healthy on the whole. Peas also promised an average crop.

New Zealand Must

Conserve Its Timber

Government Has Plan to Reforest Three Hundred Thousand Acres

Need for conservation of the British Empire's timber, not only in the great forests of Canada, but also in New Zealand, is emphasized in the statement of Hon. W. B. Taverne, commissioner of state forests, that in forty years there will be no native timber worth having in New Zealand left to mill.

Mr. Taverne recommends that the Dominion proceed at once with an extensive planting program.

"A certain change of attitude is required toward the use of timber in New Zealand," said the minister. "People have been wasteful in the utilization of native timbers, and that waste must be stopped. In the most favored forest districts my experts tell me that only about ten per cent of the standing timber is actually utilized in the manufacturing of lumber."

The government is going ahead with a program for the provision of 300,000 acres of state forests to be planted in pine trees. On some of the land to be reforested the government will plant fir cones and other tree seeds obtained from British Columbia.

Prince Is Expert Typist

The Prince of Wales has been revealed as an expert typist. On a recent trip to the north of England, he carried a typewriter with him, balancing it on his knees in the train and setting down his impressions of the journey.

Canada And The British Market

Quantity Shipments of Farm Produce Just as Necessary as Quality Standard in Order to Hold Trade

In a very instructive article that he has written for the Country Guide of Winnipeg, W. A. Wilson, Canadian Agricultural Products representative on the Empire Marketing Board, brings out some of the reasons why Canada is not getting a larger share of the British foodstuffs market. One point that he brings out is of very great interest; it is that quality itself is not sufficient to win the British market; there must be quantity as well.

What Mr. Wilson means is that sales contracts cannot be established and maintained in Great Britain unless there is assurance of an adequate and steady supply of the commodity sold, be it bacon, eggs, meat, salmon, or other foods. This is the lesson that Canada has not learned, Mr. Wilson indicates. We have so raised the quality of our food products that they are thoroughly satisfactory to the British consumer, but we do not provide for Britain a steady supply of our goods. British buyers are very chary of shifting their sources of supply unless they are given every assurance that they can always get what they want when they want it.

Mr. Wilson believes that Canada, in improving the quality of some food products, has shown ability in both leadership and workers. He considers it quite as reasonable to assume that Canada can work out the problems of quantity production that is necessary to hold the British market.

To judge from the article one would assume that all that is necessary to overcome Canada's handicap is to lessen the inertia of the Canadian farmer and farm organizations. If the problem does not go deeper than that, it will not be difficult to solve. The Department of Agriculture at Ottawa and in each of the provinces and the various farm organizations have a tremendous opportunity to aid in expanding Canada's export trade.

Made-In-Canada Exhibition

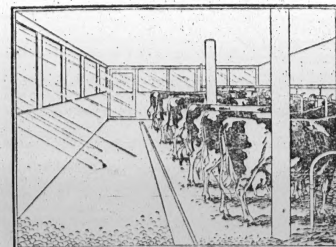
Will Show Public Quality Of Goods Produced In Dominion

Co-operation of various bodies with the National Produced-in-Canada Exhibition, which will be held in Montreal from November 4 to 9, already seems assured, according to reports received by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Quebec division, Montreal branch. "These reports," says the Gazette, "show the consensus of opinion strongly supporting the scheme to illustrate to the public, through the medium of the exhibition, the quality and diversity of goods which are produced in Canada by Canadian manufacturers for Canadians."

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The Singing Fool

By HUBERT DAIL
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SYNOPSIS

Marcus, the famous Broadway producer, takes a party of four to Blackie Joe's New York night club. Al Stone, Blackie's chief comedian and singing waiter, is desperately in love with Molly, the blond singer, but she scornfully tells him she will never marry a waiter. After she refuses to read a love ballad he has written for her, she goes to the Marcus table and tries to ingratiate herself with the great producer. Al is in despair, but at Blackie Joe's suggestion he goes on the floor and sings the love song himself — to Molly. He is given a marvelous ovation. Grace, the elegant girl who is deeply in love with Al, is in tears. Even Molly is touched. Marcus asked enthusiastically, who wrote that song? and Molly answers, "The waiter—but I gave him the idea."

CHAPTER VII

Marcus gazed at Molly with renewed interest.

"You gave him the idea, did you? Well, that number has a corking idea. I have a show where I can place it right now. Can you get the waiter over here? I want to talk to him."

Molly was up in a flash.

"Of course he'll come over. I'll get him for you right away."

She slipped away rapidly, heading for Al, who was still standing in the main room by the dressing-room door. The crowd was clamoring for an encore and Molly walked among the clapping customers, hardly able to credit the turn in events. One thing was certain, Al, the obscure waiter, was already on the high road to an immense success. If Marcus took one song he would take others that Al had written. And that was the man whose love she had scorned but a half hour before? That was the song she had refused to read and pushed, carelessly from her dressing table!

How would Al greet her now? She wondered as she walked toward him. Would he show pride because she had dismissed him? would his pride make him treat her coldly?

Meanwhile, Blackie Joe was using his best efforts to induce Al to sing an encore.

"Go out once more, Al," he pleaded. "Give them something else — anything but do. Can't you hear how they're stopped the show for you?"

But Al shook his head. "No, Blackie, I can't do it. I put every thing I had into that song. I just can't repeat."

Blackie saw it was hopeless to argue. Al's face was white as a sheet; it was evident that the boy had drained his emotional energy to the utmost in putting the song over. Blackie turned quickly to a troupe of dancing girls and ordered them on the floor.



When Pain Comes

What many people call indigestion, very often means excess acid in the stomach. The stomach nerves have been over-stimulated and food sours. The corrective is an alkali, which neutralizes acids instantly. And the best alkali known to medical science is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. It has remained the standard with physicians in the 50 years since its invention. One spoonful of this harmless,

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At the Marcus table Al was quickly introduced. Then the producer came directly to the point.

"You have some great catch lines in that number," he said, "and a good melody. I want it for my revue and I'll get it published for you."

Al sat down, facing Marcus. He was amazed and fascinated by the man's appearance and authoritative manner. He knew Marcus by reputation—everybody in New York did—and he understood that Marcus's okay meant bright light fame for him, a mere singing waiter. Yet so blinded was Al by his adoration for Molly that it never occurred to him to think she was playing up to him because of Marcus's suddenly bestowed approval.

As Al faced the producer he felt Molly's hand, slipped surreptitiously and confidently into his own. He smiled happily and answered Marcus:

"That you know, that's not my song."

"Not your song?" repeated Marcus, obviously puzzled. Then he glanced toward Molly. "You said he wrote it."

"Yes, I wrote it," added Al quickly, "but it's really Molly's song. I wrote it for her—I couldn't have written it without her."

Marcus waved the remark aside; he wasn't interested in the sentimental reason for the song's creation.

"I don't care about that — you turned out the words and music. I want the number. I want all you can write like it. If you can hold up to that level and repeat consistently I can make your fortune for you!"

Marcus spoke convincingly — Al realized that he meant every word he said. But in all this talk he did not mention Molly. If the producer believed he could push Molly aside, thought Al, he was sadly mistaken. Al was determined that she should share in any success that came to him. He decided to speak plainly.

"I want Molly to sing everything I write," he asserted. "I want you to have the song, but if you take it you'll have to take Molly too."

Al thought the producer's face fell a trifle at that ultimatum.

"Don't you see," argued Al, almost vehemently, "that no one can put over my heart songs the way Molly does. You've never heard her sing—she's a wonder! And this number was written for her!"

Marcus shook his head. "But I've got a better idea of my own. I want a heartily recognized song. Your song will be at her perfectly."

"Headliner?" countered Al. "Yes, I know, but Molly would be a headliner, too. If you just give her a chance, Mark my words!"

Al's heartily recognized himself, taking up to this celebrity just as if Marcus didn't mean a thing to him. He felt Molly's grip on his hand tighten. Then, suddenly, the revue expert threw up his hands in acquiescence.

"All right, come to my office tomorrow. Both of you!"

(To Be Continued.)

And then Molly swooped into the picture to seize Al's hands.

"Al, you were marvellous. I never heard anything like it. It's a beautiful song and every word thrilled me!"

Not until then did Al react sharply to his triumph. After all, the applause of the crowd was merely incidental, he had really been singing to Molly, and to her alone.

And here she stood, looking up into his face with gentle understanding eyes, confidingly near and dear to him. He tightened his grip on her hands and murmured earnestly:

"You see — now — how I feel?"

There was burning devotion in his glance and Molly answered him with a look fully as ardent. Then she said:

"Yes, Al, I do see now. I was a fool not to see before. Will you forgive me?"

"Forgive her! He could hardly keep from taking her in his arms right there in the main room, with Grace and Blackie nearby and the admiring eyes of the crowd on him.

And then Molly's eyes dropped before the burning intensity of his gaze. Perhaps it was a feminine trick to make him feel she was ashamed at letting him read her heart, perhaps she really was a little ashamed at playing up to him this way and deceiving him. For she didn't love him.

Grace, standing nearby, had watched this scene in its entirety. She understood it thoroughly. Something had happened between Molly's reaction to the song to make her approach Al so tenderly and possessively. But whatever the cause, Grace knew that Molly's renewed interest in the singing waiter sounded the death knell to the faint hopes that persisted in her own heart. Al belonged to Molly—he showed it by each word and play of expression. His love made him supremely happy and there was nothing for Grace to do but slip away and try to pretend that she didn't carry an aching heart.

"Al," said Molly excitedly, "you're in luck! You know, that's Marcus of Broadway at the table where I was sitting. He thinks your song's a wow and he wants to see you. I've been plugging for you and telling him how good you are!"

"Marcus?" ejaculated Al.

"Yes," whispered Molly, "and you know what that means. It means success for both of us."

In this way did proud Molly link herself with Al, as a matter of course. He accepted it blissfully; it seemed ages ago that she had turned angry eyes on him. Now she was the Molly he adored and believed in, the radiant and affectionate Molly. She quickly wheeled him around, slipped her arm confidentially into his, and led him toward the Marcus table. In that moment she realized that she held him in the hollow of her hand; she could do with him as she pleased.

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Commemorates Historic Flight Across Channel

Louis Bleriot Repeats Part Of Twenty Years Ago

Louis Bleriot, French aeronautical pioneer, flew the English Channel July 27. Twenty years ago that same news spread around the world and recorded the first flight ever made between France and England.

Bleriot landed close to the monument which commemorates his historic crossing and then hurried on to London where he was feted on the twentieth anniversary of his first air trip across the channel.

Case Is Settled

Bursting open the door marked "Private," the butcher confronted the local lawyer.

"If a dog steals a piece of meat from my shop, is he responsible?"

"Certainly," replied the lawyer.

"Very well, your dog took a piece of steak worth a half a dollar about five minutes ago."

"Indeed," he returned smoothly. "Then if you give me the other half, that will cover my fee."

A lever on the steering wheel of a new English automobile changes the gears into six positions.

Slat machines that say "Thank You" after delivering an article are now installed in Germany.



Dry mouth and parched throat are grateful for the refreshing coolness of Wrigley's Spearmint.

Wrigley's whitens teeth, sweetens the mouth, clears the throat and aids digestion, while the act of chewing calms and soothes the nerves.



Probing Trade Secret

Experts Trying To Discover Source Of Power Possessed By Electric Eels

Six electric eels have been brought from Trinidad to the zoological gardens at Philadelphia, and a dispatch from that city declares that electrical experts will try to discover the source of the visitors' electrical energy. These natural electrical plants average six feet in length and five-sixths of their plant space or content, are devoted, it is explained, to current-generating apparatus. It is averred that one of these eels, properly "hooked up" can light an electric bulb, run a toy train or operate an egg-beater. In their natural habitat, the eels retire to rocks and "rest up" while their batteries are being recharged. How they do it, is one of the trade secrets that electrical scientists will try to persuade the visiting eels, to reveal.

Her Little Boy Was Very Ill With Summer Complaint

Mrs. Ray Fisher, Lehigh, Sask., writes: "For over a month last summer, my little boy was suffering from summer complaint. He got so bad there began to be traces of blood in his stool and anything he ate would not stay on his stomach very long. He became so weak he could not stand up. A neighbor recommended



"Discouraged and in despair I sent for a bottle not expecting any more benefit than other medicines I had used, but to my surprise I noticed a change after he had taken a few doses, and before the bottle was half used he was the same happy, healthy boy he was before he took sick."

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Outlooks Equipped With Radio

Constitute a Great Protection To Forests Of Canada

Radio has become an ally of Canada's forest protection service. Radio equipment is to be installed in towers now in the course of erection at Stinson, nineteen miles east of Cochrane, on the trans-continent railway line to Quebec, and at Little Abitibi Lake, north from the right-of-way. The code system will be used.

Already a system of radio is employed in the Red Lake District, a mining region, connected by wireless communications with a station at Sioux Lake. The new installation will be modelled upon this earlier experience with radio.

Canada Salt Production

Of the 299,445 tons of salt produced in Canada last year, the Province of Ontario accounted for 279,841 or 93.5 per cent, while Nova Scotia furnished the remainder.

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Sky Scraper Apartment For Chicago Suburbs

Buildings De Luxe Designed Only For Wealthy Occupants

A realty development group in Chicago is planning to take the skyscraper out into the country. It proposes the erection of a fifty-apartment "cloud-piercer" on a fifty-acre suburban tract "surrounded by country clubs and forest preservers." The apartment dwellers will have on their own collectively owned premises a golf course, tennis courts, a bridge path, a swimming pool and recreation fields for adults and juveniles. Their building will contain a clubhouse with dining, billiard and card rooms. Another community building a little distance away will house a drug store, delicatessen, beauty and barber shops, mechanical and dental offices. Thus the luxuries and conveniences of city life, plus the attractions and facilities of the spacious countryside, are promised the prospective buyers of these rural skyscraper apartments—which are being designed, it should go without saying, for the "wealthy" occupants.—Brandon Sun.

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Little Helps For This Week

"But without faith it is impossible to please Him; for he that cometh to God must believe that He is, and that He is a rewarder of them that diligently seek Him."—Hebrews xi.

But turn, my soul. Learn thou the beauty of Omnipotent care. Be strong in faith, bid anxious thoughts be still. Seek for the good and cherish it; the Oppose, or bear with a submissive will.—William Wordsworth.

To me, I confess, it seems a very considerable thing just to believe in God; difficult indeed to avoid honesty, but not easy to accomplish worthily, and impossible to compass to perfection; a thing not lightly to be professed, but rather humbly sought; not to be found at the end of any syllogism, but in the inmost fountains of purity and affection; not the sudden gift of intellect, but to be earned by a loving and brave life. It is, indeed, the greatest thing allowed to mankind, the germ of every lesser greatness.—Anne Gilchrist.

Shows Human Intelligence

Elephant Remembered Spot Where Mate Was Killed 44 Years Ago

Alice, 119-year-old elephant, who was with Jumbo when he was killed at St. Thomas, Ont., in 1855, was back there recently. When she arrived at the spot where Jumbo was killed Alice went to her knees, stamped and whined and trumpeted shrilly, causing eight other elephants to go on a rampage. They were quieted and when Alice had to cross the same spot again she repeated her demonstrations of sorrow. A dog which is Alice's constant companion was used to bring her away.

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Large Trade With Orient

A large increase in the production of dry-salted herring and the development of a big trade with the Orient in this respect has been one of the striking items of progress in connection with British Columbia's fisheries in the past few years. Last year the pack of dry-salted herring in the province amounted to 107,218,800 pounds, practically all of which was sold to the Orient.

"Well, lovely daughter of the mountain, are you watering the cattle?"

"Yes. Are you thirsty?"

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Poultry Raisers Would Develop Breed With Four Drumsticks

Reports from Kansas of the development of a new breed of wingless chickens have inspired Jersey poultry raisers to attempt a cross-strain in which an extra pair of drumsticks will replace the discarded wings. A breed which will be all white meat with no neck is also being sought by some iconoclasts, regardless of the dire effect on church suppers and pot-pie dinners for fire companies, which, according to their patrons, find wings and necks their mainstays.

Some farmers have expressed the fear that their flocks will be annihilated by automobiles when they have no wings to assist them in dodging cars, so one enterpriser is seeking to originate a breed of chickens which won't cross a road.

New Handicraft Industry

Among the women living along the shores of the Bay of Fundy and Annapolis Basin, Nova Scotia, there is being developed a handicraft industry which is making steady progress. Under the direction of Mrs. W. C. MacPherson, 51 women are engaged in the Granville Fireside Industry, making hooked rugs out of fine wools.

Vertical Aerial Photographs

Vertical aerial photographs taken in Canada during the season of 1928 by the Royal Canadian Air Force for the Topographical Survey, Department of the Interior, covered 31,400 square miles.

Minard's Liniment for aching joints.

Bride: There are a lot of mistakes in this cookery book.
Husband: Yes, I've tasted them.



Was In Bed All Summer

"I have to work in the store and do my own housework, too, and I got nervous and run-down and was in bed nearly all summer. The last noise would make me nervous. I was told to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I have taken seven bottles. It has made me stronger and put more color into my face. I am looking after my store and my housework, and my four children and I am getting along nicely now."

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In Men's Wear

Harvest Shoes

A light Harvest Shoe of Exceptional Merit. Leather Insole and Welt. Has strong Panco sole Made from Sturdy Brown Kip leather with a Solid leather insole and rubber heel. We would like you to compare this shoe with anything you have seen within a half dollar of this price.

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Cotton & Wool Merino Socks

Made seamless by Penman. Cotton and Wool mixed Merino Socks. Four ply heel and toe. A popular Fall number.

Wonderful Value 3 Pair for \$1.00

Socks

For Work or Play Men's Combed Cotton Hose. Made seamless throughout. Have an elastic knit top and four ply heel and toe.

Harvest Special 1 Pair 25c
Or 5 Pair for \$1.00

SPECIALS

in Women's Wear

Fall Weight Bloomer

A nice garment for late Summer and early Fall. Made from Nice Quality Cotton yarns mixed with Rayon. Nice medium weight and finished with good elastic at the waist and knee. Sizes 36 to 44.

Special Value 50c Pair

Vest Special

A "Penman" Vest made from Fine Quality Cotton yarns. Bleached Pure White and Tailor cut. Have tubular straps and trims.

Special 25c Each

Harvest Specials GROCERIES

Canned Raspberry Special

Choice Quality canned Raspberries, No. 2 size tins in heavy syrup.

Weekly Special 3 for 85c

Blue Ribbon Tea

This popular Western Tea.

Saturday & Monday Special 1 lb. 55c
Or 2 lbs. \$1.05

Molasses 5's

Pure New Orleans Molasses No. 5 size with Lev-
er top tin.

Per Can 50c

Sweet Corn

Iowa Sweet Corn, a real narrow grain Sweet Corn packed in No. 2 Tins.

Special 2 Tins for 35c

Jelly Powder

De Luxe Jelly, the ever popular desert.

Saturday & Monday Special 6 for 35c

Crown Olive Toilet Soap

This easy lathering green Palm Oil Soap done up in handy tablets.

Special 5 for 25c

J. C. McFarland Co.

Main Street

Mrs. Bannan of Provost is visiting with her sister Mrs. Pryce Jones.

Mrs. J. H. Elliott is around again after being indisposed for a few days.

Mr. M. M. Ross is decorating the Sunny Brae school.

Mr. and Mrs. Locke and family left Wednesday for a motor trip to Banff.

Mr. C. Goodale has received the contract for putting a gravel road through the cemetery.

Mrs. Foxwell has returned from Salt Lake near Chauvin where she has been having a holiday.

F. L. Maine and family visited the past week with Mrs. Chase and the Allen families.

The Irma Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. J. P. Askin next Thursday afternoon.

Mr. G. S. Quast and family of Macklin, Sask., spent Sunday with Mrs. N. Matheson.

Miss Ida Berg returned to her home at Viking Sunday after spending a month in Irma with her sister Mrs. Masson.

Marjorie Bennett and sister left this week to visit with friends in Edmonton before returning to their home in Edmonton.

Miss Lewis, superintendent of the Chautauque, left Sunday after securing forty signers to the guarantee for next summer. There was a small deficit this season but not enough to discourage most of the guarantors signing for another season.

Cutting is general in all parts of the Irma district. While the crop is short on account of the very dry season, some of the farmers think they will probably realize as much profit from it as they did from last year's crop, as they expect a better price and grade for their wheat.

Miss Marjorie Bennett and sister Helen visited the past week with friends in Avonlea. Miss Bennett had charge of Avonlea school where she gave most satisfactory service for three and one-half years before going to Athabasca last year. All her friends will be glad to know she has secured a position in one of the Edmonton schools and will begin duties there in September.

On Thursday Mr. A. G. Walker left for Brandon, Manitoba, after spending a few days in the Irma district. Mr. Walker is living in Calgary at present but is thinking of moving to Seattle this fall. Since moving to Calgary where they went to be with Mrs. Jessie Robertson, Mrs. Walker's mother, Mrs. Robertson has passed away following an accidental fall shortly after the Robertsons moved to Calgary. Mrs. Robertson was well known in Irma district having spent several summers with Mrs. Walker while they were living near Irma.

Warning is again being sent out to mechanics and others to not carry large sums of money in their safes at any time, especially night time. Petty thievery and safe blowing is bound to occur where this practice is known to exist.

This line has had more than its share of fires recently. Wainwright, Jarow, Viking, Deuce, Holden and Telford have all suffered. Is it possible that a fire bug is operating along this line?

GRAIN MARKETS

Wheat

No. 1 Nor.	1.28
No. 2 Nor.	1.24
No. 3 Nor.	1.21
No. 4 Nor.	1.11
No. 5 Nor.	.92
No. 6 Nor.	.71
Feed	.52

Oats

No. 2 C. W.	.54
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Barley

No. 3 C. W.	.60
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Rye

No. 2 C. W.	.88
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Flax

No. 1 N.W.	2.28
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SOUP

"A Few Noodles by Tun."

"Yes, I'm having that house renovated," said a young man here last week to a friend. "I'm getting married next week." "Getting it wired for an all-talkie, eh?" was the reply.

"The boss is beginning to take an interest in me," said a new clerk in a local store to a fellow employee. "Is he?" remarked the other. "Yes, he asked me yesterday if I worked here," was the reply.

Overhearing a young travelling man criticise the pie, a Holden restaurant keeper said: "Pie, young feller? Why I made pies before you were born." "Yes, but why sell 'em now," replied the travelling man.

"Have you any recommendations?" asked an employer here when a young fellow solicited him for a job. "Well," was the reply, "all of the girls around here swear that I'm a fast worker."

WANT ADS

WANTED — Girl for housework in town. Mrs. J. H. Elliott, 3rd Ave., Irma, Alta. 44c

FOR SALE — Good dining room suite. Apply at Times Office. 44-6

FOR SALE — Good Shorthorn Bull, dual purpose, 3 years old, quiet and gentle. — R. Herbert, N.E. 32-45-9, Irma, Alta. 31.

FOR SALE — South half of 9-45-9 with. Car subject only 1929 taxes. Terms \$500 cash, balance \$320 yearly interest 6 per cent. — J. D. Seely, 609 Grand Ave., Los Angeles, Cal. 4t.

Now is the time of the year to advertise for those stray horses and cattle. A small ad in this paper will help you.

CAMROSE U. F. A. LOM. CONSTITUENCY CONVENTION REPORT

The annual convention of the Camrose U. F. A. Constituency association was held at Forestburg on Thursday last, August 1st. Hector MacKenzie, president of the association, gave a report of the work done by the executive board during the past year, following which committees were appointed as follows: Order of business and credentials, A. G. Andrews, M.L.A., J. E. Brown and Mrs. G. Rose; A. G. Andrews, M.L.A., Chas. P. Hayes and A. Lagar. Hector MacKenzie was elected chairman of the convention, after which the morning session was adjourned until 1:30 o'clock.

The afternoon session opened with the singing of "O'Canada." Mrs. J. L. Zipperer, U.F.A. director, addressed the convention, and her remarks were received with hearty applause. J. E. Brown was called upon to speak and he outlined the U.F.A. organization and urged upon all present the need for keeping the membership up to standard. Mr. Brown's remarks were well received by those present.

A. L. Sanders, M.L.A., of Stettler, addressed the convention, and in the course of his remarks, congratulated Mayor L. M. Rogers and the Board of Trade of Forestburg for the splendid arrangements that had been made for the reception and entertainment of the delegates to the convention. A. G. Andrews, M.L.A., of Sedgewick, gave a well thought out speech, which won him hearty applause. Dr. L. M. Rogers, as mayor of Forestburg, spoke briefly, expressing on behalf of the citizens their pleasure at having the convention at that point. He also extended an invitation to the delegates to hold their next convention there also.

W. T. Lucas, M.P., next addressed the gathering. In his opening remarks, Mr. Lucas thanked the delegates for the splendid turn-out at the convention. He outlined the doings of the last session of the dominion house at Ottawa, and explained the budget and other financial affairs of the government, and amendments to the different acts. At the close of his address Mr. Lucas was given hearty and prolonged applause and the convention passed a vote of thanks and continuous confidence in his services at Ottawa.

At this point, the credential committee reported that there were thirty U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. locals represented with forty-two delegates.

Robert Gardiner, M.P., was the next speaker. After making congratulatory remarks on the attendance, Mr. Gardiner proceeded to explain the Canada Grain Act and its workings. He also explained the Wheat Pool contract and dealt on the subject of co-operation. At the conclusion of his remarks, Mr. Gardiner was tendered a hearty vote of thanks "by those present."

An number of important resolutions were passed, following which the following officers were elected: President—Chas. P. Hayes, Strome, 1st Vice-President—Mrs. Ed. Kehoe, Camrose.

2nd Vice-President—G. Oberg, Forestburg. Directors: Division 1—Nels Toppe, Merna. Division 2—A. Haywood, Gadsby. Division 3—Jas. McConnell, Nevis. Division 4—W. J. Brady, Edberg. Division 5—A. Rhyason, Bawlf. Division 6—F. Grandage, Loughheed. Following the election of officers, a board meeting was held and Frank Grandage, of Loughheed, was re-elected secretary and treasurer and appointed press correspondent.

This brought to a close one of the best and largest conventions ever held in the Camrose federal constituency.

Heard on the street: "How's your wife coming along with her driving of the new car." "She took a turn for the worse last week."

Bargains in Paints

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